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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF OREGON

PORTLAND DIVISION

**HORIZON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, an Oregon nonprofit corporation; McMinnville Christian Academy, an Oregon nonprofit corporation; and LIFE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, an assumed business name,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**KATE BROWN, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OREGON, in her official capacity only,**

**Defendant.**

Civil No. 3:20-cv-01345

**DECLARATION OF MARY STARRETT IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' EMERGENCY MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AND PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

I, Mary Starrett, testify as follows: I am over 18 years of age and of sound mind, and

I have personal knowledge of all matters herein. On July 29, 2020, in my capacity as a

Yamhill County Commissioner, I participated in a weekly call with the Oregon Governor's

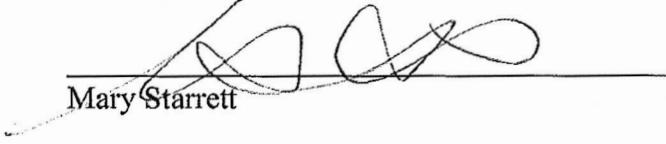
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(Defendant's) Office Spokespersons Leah Horner and Jody Christiansen. During the call, I inquired about Oregon school re-opening guidelines and asked why private and parochial schools are not being permitted to re-open. Ms. Horner responded by saying there was a concern about "a mass exodus from public schools" if private schools are allowed to re-open when the public schools are not.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on August 12, 2020.



Mary Starrett

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**ATTORNEY CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on August 17, 2020, I served the foregoing DECLARATION OF Mary STARRETT as follows:

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